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As the below-named inventors, we declare that:

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We believe we are the original, first, and joint inventors of the invention entitled "A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DATA ENTRY OF HANDWRITTEN SYMBOLS," which is described and claimed in the specification and claims of patent application Serial No. 07/716,723, which we filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on June 17, 1991 and for which a patent is sought.

We acknowledge our duty to disclose information of which we are aware which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(a).

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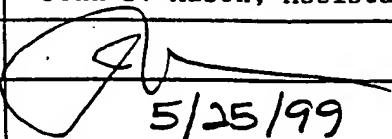
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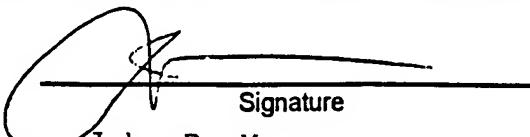
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